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What Came of ...An Ideal

(Original.)

There was once an artist who achieved great fame in the painting of one picture. He never painted another that came anywhere near equalling it, but his masterpiece alone was enough to make his fortune.

While struggling for recognition he fell in love with and married a young girl—Helena was her name—who to him was perfection. It is well known that lovers endow the objects of their love with every attraction, and this man endowed his wife especially with great beauty. He painted a picture of her not as his imagination saw her, but as she was, and when the picture was completed he supplied its beauty from his imagination, just as he had done in the case of the original.

Soon after the completion of the portrait Helena sickened and died. The husband was inconsolable. He would sit all day looking at the portrait, which to him was even more beautiful than it was when he painted it. A whole year passed, and he had done nothing but mourn. He was so poor that his clothes were rags, and he had nothing to eat except dry bread. Then one day upon learning that there was to be a competition for an altar piece for a cathedral, a Madonna and child, he roused himself to an effort to win the prize. The winning picture must be a wonder, and three years were given in which to produce it.

The artist knew that the first thing for him to do was to find a model. It was the spring of the year, and he sallied forth into the country, thinking to discover among the dairymaids or shepherdesses what he desired, for it was from the simpler classes that the mother of Jesus came. The pleasant air and sunshine brightened the spirit within him, and he became interested in his search. He visited many young women, but found none that he thought would do for a divine model. His ideal was the face of his lost wife, and one may look a long while without finding an ideal of anything.

One morning he passed a dairy farm, and, going back to the cow sheds, a girl arose from milking and greeted him with a very pleasant smile—a smile of pity, for the man was in tatters and looked hungry. She offered him a cup of milk fresh from the cow and then took him into the neat farmhouse and gave him a good meal. When the farmer and his wife came in they gave him a hearty shake of the hand and approved of what their daughter Cecilia had done.

The artist stayed at the farm several days. Indeed, they would not let him go till he had gained strength to travel.

During these few days it was growing upon him that the face of Cecilia was especially suited for the mother of one who, though divine, was born in a manger.

The artist confessed his profession and told the farmer of his object. The man was so pleased that his daughter should sit for a picture of the Virgin that he consented to take her to the artist's studio himself.

For months the picture of the Madonna was growing on the canvas. Unconsciously the painter, though he followed Cecilia's features and outline, put in the expression with which his imagination had endowed his lost wife. The picture therefore became a thing of heavenly beauty. But the artist could find no child that would do for a model of the infant Saviour. He had sketched a child's outline in the picture, hoping every day to come upon the model he wanted. The babe should resemble its mother, and no babe could be found with the features of Cecilia.

By this time the artist had become engrossed in his work. Gradually his imaginary conception of his wife's beauty was transferred to the model, and through her to the canvas, though of this he was unconscious. Then one day it occurred to him to marry Cecilia, and perhaps they would have a child that would do for the model infant Jesus. Her father consented, and the marriage took place.

After his marriage the artist left her picture as it was, hoping for a child from which he might fill in the child in the picture. A little son came to him, and when it was about fifteen months old he transferred the image to the canvas. The Madonna was a wonder; the child had inherited her features, and her father adored him. When the picture was finished the few who were permitted to see it were struck dumb with admiration. But one thing puzzled the artist. No one saw any likeness between the Madonna and Cecilia.

It was a happy morning for the artist and his family when the award was announced and he was found to be the winner. The prize was enough to keep them very modestly, and they not only enjoyed a competence, but the fame the father and husband had won. He tried often again to do such work, but never succeeded. However, his name on a picture was ever after sufficient to insure its sale for a large sum.

One day several years after the winning of the prize the artist went up into his garret to hunt for a frame he hoped might be there. His old pictures were scattered about, mostly dabbles of his student days. There was one picture, the portrait of a woman, that he could not remember ever having painted. He took it up and held it to the light. The face was a very commonplace one. He tried to remember what model he could have used in its painting. Suddenly the truth flashed upon him. It was the picture he had made of Helena.

F. A. MITCHEL.

WARNING TO AUTOMOBILISTS

Fast Driving on the Streets a Menace to Life. Sightseers on Beach Are Cautioned.

Racers are now on the Daytona beach every day, when the tides permit, endeavoring to test their machines thoroughly, and hundreds of people go over to see what time is made or how rapidly they shoot by.

These sightseers are composed of automobilists and bicyclists in the main, but many ride in their carriages or even walk over. They are anxious to see fast time made but do not seem to know what it means to travel at 80 or 110 miles per hour. On the beach it is a case of "here she comes!" and immediately the spectator must call out "yonder she goes!"

Keep off the course. Either drive or walk well up to the soft sand or close to the water's edge. The driver of the ordinary auto too often wants to show what his little car can do and takes up the best part of the track. He wears his goggles and assumes all the postures and airs of the racer, monopolizes the best parts of the track and imagines the eyes of all are upon him, and in reality he is seldom noticed.

Parties were to be seen yesterday learning to ride bicycles and even children playing directly in the track, endangering not only their own lives, but the lives of others. Serious and fatal accidents are sure to occur a few days hence when there will be many titanic machines speeding, unless the people are more careful.

Now for the rights of the other side. A law is in force prohibiting vehicles from being driven on the streets at a speed greater than 10 miles an hour. Another law, old as the hills, requires all vehicles to turn to the right.

In the case of a high-power racer which must be run over some of the streets, people are willing that the speed law be broken, knowing that the machines are not able to run within the required speed. But there are several owners who continually drive at a rate far exceeding the law. They do not turn to the right, especially for bicyclers who are often forced on to the side walks. Yesterday a little girl fell from her wheel on Beach street and was knocked unconscious. An auto was almost upon her when the accident occurred. This auto was driven by an expert, a gentleman who rarely, if ever, exceeds the speed limit, and he was able to stop his machine. Had it been one of the inveterate fast drivers a fatal accident could not have been averted.

The streets are for the use of all. Equal rights to all, special privileges to none, should be the watchword. Courteous treatment, by no means rare, should be more widely extended and thus not only obviate feelings, but accidents.

There is no doubt but what you can rent your furnished rooms, but wouldn't it be easier to put a little local in The DAILY NEWS and rent them sooner than you would otherwise?

To The Auto.

(Apologies to John Van)

Here's to the auto;
May we hear it too
In time to scoot.

—The Unchained Poet.

A Sweet Joke.

An American army officer who was in Cuba during the Spanish war, was extremely dissatisfied with the cooking. He insisted that the Cubans put sugar into everything they cooked. At last he announced that he would eat nothing but boiled eggs. "They can't sugar them," he declared. So he ordered them next morning. But before he appeared at the table another officer had filled the salt cruet with sugar. When the "kicker" appeared his eggs were brought to him. He opened them with a gloomy complacency and sprinkled over them plenty of the doctored salt. At the first mouthful he turned purple. "Sugared! Sugared!" he exclaimed and rushed from the table.

Robbing The Mails

D. C. Owings, Postoffice Inspector from Washington, D. C., and C. T. Merrill, U. S. Marshal at Jacksonville, arrived Monday looking for a man accused of robbing the mails. Marshal Zuber gave what aid he could but the thief was not apprehended.

New Auto Coming

Ford has now almost completed another very light and very high-powered car which he predicts will become as famous as his wonderful old 999, with which he last winter on the ice fixed a 39.45 second mark, in spite of the fact that the car was almost three years old. The new car is to be a 30-horse power car which will weigh but 1,300 pounds. Mr. Ford said that he will himself drive the car at Daytona. Ford has demonstrated that he has wonderful nerve. It is the lightest car for the power that was ever produced.

Will Appear at Court.

Walter W. Rush arrived yesterday in the care of Sheriff Turner.

Rush was wanted for wife desertion and after much search was located and arrested in Tampa. He married Miss Livingston of this city and lived with her more than a year. A child was born and when but a few days old the heartless wretch deserted, leaving no means for her support. He was arrested and put under bond to pay her \$3 per week.

He again deserted and his bondsmen would not, or could not, pay, so he was again arrested and put under a \$500 cash bond for his appearance at Criminal court, where he is likely to receive well-merited punishment.

John Roberts killed two deer within three miles of town and was selling the meat on the streets yesterday.

A telegraph office has been opened at the Clarendon Hotel, Seabreeze, for the use of the public. Miss A. Morton, of Sea Cliff, L. I., has charge and will be found very accommodating.

SPLENDID ERA FOR DAYTONA.

The Garden Spot of Florida Presents Inducements for the Willing Worker

Let us inaugurate the new era of prosperity which is dawning upon Daytona with an enthusiastic spirit. Fortune smiles upon us and let us take advantage of fortune's smiles; they are ours—ours to enjoy, and in which to bask. The cornucopia hangs propitiously. The goddess of Pomona is more prolific in her new pledges of great abundance when we reap this harvest now ready to garner.

There is nothing sad in the past for Daytona. The world was bright. Florida was all right. Daytona is the best city in Florida. No floods wash away property here. No seismic turbulence sears our land with molten lava or swallows up the affrighted populace. The dark and ominous clouds that threatened have passed away and our winter of discontent is made glorious summer by the brightening rays of these suns of Florida.

Rich groves of trees greet us on every hand. The world is ours. The prices offered for the products of our land are most flattering and encouraging to the husbandmen. Florida is the garden spot of the world.

We have health than can be found alone in Nature's sanitarium. We have water as pure as the nectar that failed gods were wont to quaff with glee. We have all the concrete blessings that a succinct statement might define, and it is our pleasure and our duty to still further enjoy this state of human happiness.

Daytona must and shall go ahead. It has the sinews of war; it has the fire of youth, and the courage of its convictions. Its property values are advancing steadily and with a healthy growth, and everything is moving along as merrily as marriage bells. Put your shoulders to the wheel and help boost the town. Help yourself, and God will do the rest. This vicinity is most prolific

with opportunities for money-making and the time is opportune. Our resources are legion, and fortune, which knocks but once at every man's door, is now loudly knocking at our gate.

Bid it welcome.

The City Marshal.

If a row occurs on the streets, or a drunken man monopolizes the sidewalks, a cry goes up from the citizens, "Where is the marshal?"

True it is that, like the average policeman, when needed he is often elsewhere. In larger cities the policemen have beats covering a square or two and are on duty but eight hours. For this service he receives \$2.50 per day. Here we have but one officer, who is popularly supposed to be on duty all the time, and cover about two square miles. For this service he receives the munificent sum of \$40 a month. On this pittance a man is expected to support a family, pay his debts and work practically all the time—not to mention what he ought to lay up for old age.

Perquisites, some one says. What are the perquisites for an honest man who does his duty? Not one cent.

Some of the citizens may not like the present marshal personally, but all agree that he has made an efficient officer, as is attested by the number of prominent citizens who have signed a petition to increase his salary, and by those who donated liberally for a Christmas present to him.

Let the salary be raised to \$50 per month—if he is not worth that amount, a better man is sadly needed.

B. Oldfield and wife and A. G. Beckhold, Cleveland, are at The Despland.

A. M. Young and wife, Evanston, Ill.; Mrs. E. Rolf, Miss Tamany, Miss Elliott, Newark, N. J.; Mrs. E. H. Holmes, Chicago, are at the Clarendon.

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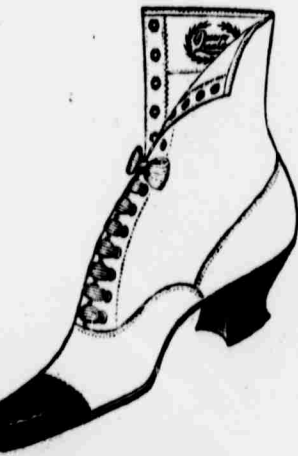
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The Secret Societies.

Free and Accepted Masons—Halifax Lodge No. 41 meets first and third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m.
Halifax Royal Arch Chapter No. 2—Meets every Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m.
W. M. T. C.—Halifax Council meets third Thursday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Knights Templar—Oriental Commandery No. 1 meets fourth Thursday of each month at 1:30 p. m.

Order of Eastern Star—Live Oak Chapter meets second and fourth Thursday of each month at 1:30 p. m.

Knights of Pythias—Ponce de Leon Lodge meets first and third Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Improved Order of Red Men—Glenora Tribe No. 21 meets first and third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Knights of Honor—Daytona Lodge No. 20 meets second and fourth Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Paternal Union of America—Meets second Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

Grand Army of the Republic—Joe Hooker post holds camp the first and third Friday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

CLUBS.

Halifax River Yacht Club—Meets the Club House every Wednesday evening.

Florida State Troop Company "K" second Infantry. Drill at the Armory on Volusia avenue every Tuesday night, J. B. Perkins, Capt. Com.

Florida East Coast Automobile Association—meets at Club House on the Beach the first Friday night before full moon.

CITY OFFICIALS.

Mayor.....Charles L. Smith
City Clerk.....J. W. Wilkinson
Treasurer.....Frank T. Pelt
Assessor.....C. M. Bingham, Jr.
Collector.....H. F. Douglas
Municipal Commissioner.....M. H. Fisher
Aldermen—Edward G. Harris, president,
Henry Schmidt, Wm. Atwood, G.
J. Mathews, A. McF. Foster, J. A.
Hendricks and Jerome D. Mayo.
Council meets every fourth
Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m.
City Attorney.....C. H. Spencer
City Physician.....Dr. H. H. Neely
School Trustees—Geo. H. Fisher, C. M.
Bingham, Sr., and R. P. Marsh.

Low Tide on the Beach.

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High tide 8 hours before or after low tide.

Our Item Boxes.

For the convenience of those who have items of news for us, we have placed "Item Boxes" at convenient places about the city. They are located as follows:

Yacht Club Building
Clerk's Stationery Store
Gramling Bakery
Railway Station
Daily News Office

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The Gazette-News

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The Northerner who spends his winters here, the occasional winter resident, or those who are now making their first visit to our City, could invest no money where it would give them greater enjoyment for a year than \$1.50 spent for a subscription to the GAZETTE-NEWS. In the course of a year it will tell the Northern reader what Daytona really is, and if our section of the country would be better suited to him than his present location.

As to health, we firmly believe that Daytona is as healthy a location as any spot in the United States, and is briefly quoted as "Daytona is lost Paradise regained." To tell even briefly our advantages over other sections of the country in health, investments, finances, and a place one can call home, would consume too much space. And as a suggestion, for your personal enjoyment and business relations in the South, that you subscribe now for the GAZETTE-NEWS. We would be pleased to count you as a "Daytona advocate" and a GAZETTE-NEWS Reader.

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Hours of Service.

St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church—Mass every Sunday at 10:30 a. m.; week days at 7:00 a. m.

REV. J. F. O'BOYLE, Rector.

Baptist Church—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; Preaching 11:00 a. m.; B. Y. P. U. meeting 6:45 p. m.; Preaching 7:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

REV. SIDEMAKER.

Christian Church—Preaching and Communion, 11:00 a. m.; Preaching 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Endeavor meeting, 6:30 p. m. Sunday.

REV. FRANK LONGDON.

T. E. Church, South—Sunday School 10:00 a. m.; Preaching 11:00 a. m.; Epworth League meeting 6:30 p. m.; Preaching 7:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

REV. J. C. MICKLER.

First Congregational Church—Preaching 11:00 a. m.; Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.; Preaching 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor 2:30 p. m.; Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

REV. BYRON F. MARSH.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church—Services Sunday at 11:00 a. m.; Holy Days 9:30, also Wednesdays and Fridays in Lent; Thursday in Lent 4:00 p. m. Holy Communion first Sunday in each month at 11:00 a. m.; in Lent third Sunday at 7:30 a. m. Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.

REV. C. W. ARNSOLD, Rector.

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Lobby open from 8:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m. Window open from 1:00 to 3:00 p. m. except when mail is being distributed.

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Local Time Table.
Corrected January 11, 1905.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 28..... 4:30 p m
No. 40..... 7:59 p m
No. 98..... 4:46 a m
No. 78..... 3:38 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 99..... 11:50 p m
No. 20..... 1:46 p m
No. 39..... 7:50 p m
No. 38..... 8:18 p m

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The Northerner who spends his winters here, the occasional winter resident, or those who are now making their first visit to our City, could invest no money where it would give them greater enjoyment for a year than \$1.50 spent for a subscription to the GAZETTE-NEWS. In the course of a year it will tell the Northern reader what Daytona really is, and if our section of the country would be better suited to him than his present location.

As to health, we firmly believe that Daytona is as healthy a location as any spot in the United States, and is briefly quoted as "Daytona is lost Paradise regained." To tell even briefly our advantages over other sections of the country in Health, Investments, Pleasures, and a place one can call Home, would consume too much space. And as a suggestion, for your personal enjoyment and business relations in the South, that you subscribe now for the GAZETTE-NEWS. We would be pleased to count you as a "Daytona advocate" and a GAZETTE-NEWS Reader.

Make our Office your Headquarters.

Gazette-News

GEO. F. CROUCH, Editor and Proprietor

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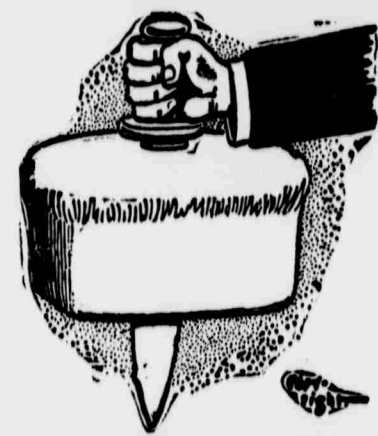
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THE WEATHER.

**Rain to-night and Thurs-
day.**

Daytona is just now the "whole
cheese" in the automobile world.

The Ponce Park launch took down
a party of ten who arrived today.

Col. Stendenbord has received his
prize-winning pony.

The south bridge has been painted
and the central bridge is now
undergoing a similar treatment.

The red car seen on the beach yester-
day was a 90 h. p. Popo-Toledo,
A. C. Webb, owner.

A White racer, owned by H. L.
Bowden, was on the beach speeding,
yesterday.

Fairbanks, the eye specialist, will
be at Gille's drug store for a few
days. Consultation and examination
free.

A. E. Morrison, of Boston, will ar-
rive next week and bring with him
a Peerless racer.

Mrs. R. D. Cowan left for Lake
City today to visit her son, Wm.
Cowan. She will then proceed to
Hamilton, Canada.

Jno. L. Magee, of Jersey City, has
arrived. He brought down a 10-
horse power Cadillac, which was
stored at Pettepher's garage.

The annual election of officers of
the Halifax River Yacht Club will
be held tonight. Members are re-
quested to be present.

Jno. Butler sold two lots in Good-
all to Mr. Vandevord, yesterday.
The lots are situated on Seabreeze
avenue.

South bound trains yesterday
were well filled. About 100 dropped
off here, but there is room for many
more.

Geo. S. Doane left on the 3:18
train yesterday to be gone a week or
ten days; going first to Miami,
thence to Key West and across to
Havana, Cuba.

G. W. Porter, New York; J. E.
Perry and wife, Cleveland; Geo. A.
Parker and wife, N. Parker, Phila-
delphia, are at The Ridgewood.

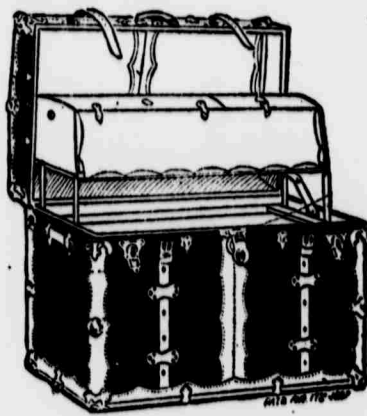
Let the people of Daytona get to-
gether, stay together and pull to-
gether and wonders can be accom-
plished during the year 1905.

Senator Taliferro has introduced
a bill in Congress providing for the
appropriation of \$100,000 for an old
soldier's home in Florida.

H. A. Metfee, Atlanta, Wm. B.
Clements, Savannah, A. H. Burdall,
Cincinnati, Jas. L. Mager, Jersey
City, are at The Austin.

Two 4 1/2 foot gators escaped from
the pen at McFadden's shell boat
last night. Larger ones are ex-
pected shortly to take the place of
the truants.

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Ananias Club.

At a meeting of the past grand
masters of this club, held at the de-
pot, yesterday, a member stated,
"I don't like to see a man fool with
a gun. I know of a case where a
man who was gunning for ducks,
saw a fine bunch on the water. He
leveled his gun, took careful aim,
and fired. After the smoke cleared
away he looked over the water and
counted four dead ducks. On look-
ing at the weapon, an old single
barrel, he saw that the left hand
held the stock and the right hand
held part of the end of barrel, the
intermediate part being entirely
gone."

On Second avenue there is located
one of the best arranged cottages in
the city. It was built by S. H. Gore
for G. S. Brown. The cottage con-
tains three bed rooms and bath on
the second floor. On the first floor
there are three rooms. The base-
ment is finished with range and
closets. Everything one can need
is in place and it is ready for occu-
pancy.

Duval county's road building
campaign began yesterday for the
first work on one of the many hard-
surfaced roads to be built by the
county was inaugurated in Jackson-
ville. The United States Govern-
ment's special train of road construc-
tion machinery arrived today, and
in order to be prepared for the ac-
tual placing of material the roadway
must be surveyed and cleaned of
all growth. The latter work was
started yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. Howard will open a
dancing school for advanced pupils
at the Opera House hall Thursday
afternoon, January 12, at 4 o'clock.
Parents cordially invited, spectators
not allowed.

The Tatler made its initial ap-
pearance for the 1905 season Satur-
day. The Tatler is welcome every-
where; that goes without saying; but
it is only fair to add that if one is to
judge by No. 1 of Vol. XIV, this
popular magazine of social gossip
will be more interesting than ever.
Mrs. Marcott's way of putting things
is always original and entertaining.
No event of importance escapes
mention and "what'er men do, or
say, or think, or dream," yes, and
women, too, is duly noted. In point
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press work, The Tatler stands su-
preme, so it comes to people as a
welcome weekly visitor.—St. Augus-
tine Record.

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Will open his office in the Opera
House Block, Daytona, on Jan. 15.

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ly gentle. Mills. 9 2c

Wilford Russell will give a recital
at the Despland, tonight. Humo-
rous songs and good music are also
on the program.

A 90 h. p. Thomas racer arrived
for Ed. C. Hawley, who is the driver,
this morning. A touring car of the
same make also arrived for E. R.
Thomas, the manufacturer and owner
of both of the above cars, who is
expected.

The Ridgewood orchestra com-
menced their engagement this morn-
ing. Mrs. Spangler, the pianist, is
assisted by Mrs. C. H. Wilson, vio-
lin, and C. H. Wilson, cello. Morn-
ings and evenings this orchestra
will play, furnishing excellent music,
which should prove an attraction.

A card room and smoking room
have been added to the Cleveland
for the pleasure and convenience of
the guests. The smoking room is
furnished with a lavatory and is
nicely fitted up.

The Pickert Stock Company will
begin their weeks engagement on
January 16. This will afford an
opportunity to see some up-to-date
plays by a first-class company.

Advertising keeps money moving.
One dollar spent today means, per-
haps, by tomorrow \$2 or \$3 spent,
so the advertiser is the man who
keeps trade alive and helps the pub-
lic spend its money.

The trail just beyond the south
bridge needs to be widened. Last
year hundreds of people passed
through there daily, during the
races and were often in serious
danger. The roadway is entirely
too narrow.

At the Colonnades are registered
Mrs. W. A. Lawton, Miss Ruth
White Lawton, Springfield, Mass.;
R. W. Whinfield and wife, Fond du
Lac, Wis.; A. H. Stanley and wife
and Murray L. Stanley and wife,
New Britain, Conn.

The sidewalks in front of the Col-
onnades recently completed, have
been extended half a mile farther
south, and men are still working on
them. The street has been widened
and has lost its appearance of a
country road.

You will frequently hear it said
that after living in Daytona a man
is spoiled for living any other place
on this mundane sphere. Those
who say this come very near telling
the exact truth. We have the best
climate, the cleverest people and the
handsomest little city on earth.
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GOOSEBERRY

[Original.]

"I don't believe that."
"I will prove it to you, sir."
"Bess," snapped the first speaker,
"are there any gooseberries in the
house?"
"We're to have gooseberry pie for
dinner, father. Mother made one yester-
day."
"All right," said the father. "You
can prove it at the table."
It is a well known fact that certain
vegetables are poison to certain peo-
ple. Frank Andrews had told Mr.
Dutton that he could not eat gooseber-
ries without producing a rash on his
body. Frank and Bessie Dutton were
devoted to each other, and her father,
who wished to dispose of her hand to
suit himself, was annoyed at the situ-
ation. During dinner he sat without
speaking, now and again casting dis-
satisfied glances at his daughter and
her lover till the dessert was brought
on. Frank ate a large piece of goose-
berry pie, and in less than half an
hour a rash began to come out first on
his arm, then on his neck and face.

"Singular," said Mr. Dutton thought-
fully. "I wouldn't have believed it."
"I am sorry, sir," replied the young
man, "that I can't as readily satisfy
you as to the truth of all my state-
ments. I wish I could prove Mr. Cros-
by Cotton a humbug. I would gladly
suffer the discomfort of the rash to do
so."

Now, the man Mr. Dutton had pick-
ed out for his daughter was this same
Crosby Cotton, who had returned to
the east from the far west with a for-
tune. He was not a refined man, and
Bessie Dutton detested him. Her fa-
ther was not quite satisfied that Cot-
ton was as rich as he pretended to be,
and this, with Bessie's repugnance,
had delayed him in forcing the match.
Cotton in order to inspire confidence
gave a dinner to a number of his
friends, the Duttons being present; also
their special friend, Frank Andrews.
Mr. and Mrs. Dutton had always lived
very plainly and were people to be
easily impressed with a little display.

When the dinner came off it ap-
peared to Mr. Dutton that the host's great
wealth had been lavishly used to set a
splendid table. Frank Andrews, who
was more used to dinner parties, no-
ticed that the chicken salad was made
of veal, and a fillet de sole was con-
cocted of a very ordinary fish called a
flounder. But he made no comments,
nor could he very well do so to his
friends, the Duttons, because he was
not placed beside them at table.

It was evident that Mr. Dutton was
very much impressed with the enter-
tainment. The host sat at the head of
the table, his red face glowing. On his
right sat Mr. Dutton, on his left Mrs.
Dutton, and next to her father sat Miss
Dutton, casting longing eyes at Frank,
who was placed at the other end of
the table, but opposite. With the
soup was served a white wine, which

Andrews tasted and pronounced "Cal-
ifornia," then a red wine, which he
sipped and pronounced also "Califor-
nia," then a sherry, which he sipped
and pronounced also "California." Never-
theless he held his peace. His
cast occasional glances at the other
end of the table and saw that the host
was rolling his wine under his tongue
and smacking his lips, at the same
time exulting on its merits to Mr.
Dutton.

"This chablis," he said, "I imported
myself from Paris. The claret I pro-
cured from the stock of a French con-
noisseur in wines who lived in Bor-
deaux. Fortunately I was on hand
when his wines were sold and put
\$1,000 in a hundred bottles. The sher-
ry I bought in Lisbon. But don't waste
your taste on these. We'll have some
champagne presently, the celebrated
Champagne Rosa, which was made in
1850. I bought it right out of the cel-
lar where it had lain fifty years."

Frank Andrews was beginning to
boil with indignation. It was perfectly
plain to him that the man was playing
on the inexperience in such matters of
his guest as well as his crudelity and
was succeeding to his heart's content.
For Mr. Dutton was all smiles, thinking
how nice it would be to marry his
daughter to this nabob and live on
such meat and drink for the rest of his
life.

Finally there was a popping of corks,
followed by a delicious gurgling, and
foaming champagne was in the glasses.
The host held his glass by its slender
stem, between his thumb and forefinger,
bowed to Mr. Dutton, then to the
rest, and the nectar was quaffed.
Frank Andrews tasted of the wine and
set his glass down with a frown. In-
deed the effort to capture the father of
Bessie Dutton by such cheap means,
together with certain admiring looks
of the host to the young lady, had
finally excited Andrews to the point of
explosion. But there was another rea-
son why he did not like the cham-
pagne.

Mr. Dutton's cheeks were beginning
to get rosy, his tongue a trifle thick,
while his lips were parted in a satis-
fied smile. Mrs. Dutton was compli-
menting the host on the sumptuous-
ness of his feast, especially the variety
of his wines. Then when for a moment
the ripple of chat lulled something
happened. Frank Andrews was ob-
served holding up his arm, which he
had bared to the elbow, and displaying
it to the assembled company.

"Gooseberry!" he cried.
There, true enough, was the rash of
the gooseberry, and the Dutton family
knew that instead of champagne they
had been drinking gooseberry wine.

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ported, but Crosby Cotton did not mar-
ry Bessie Dutton, and Frank Andrews
was the happy man who finally led her
to the altar. Cotton's wealth turned
out to be in air castles.

WILLARD CLIFFORD IRVING.

As It Looked on the Map.

Of every hundred tourists who visit
the Canary Islands quite seventy-five
are British. Naturally, therefore, the
natives of the Canary Islands take a
great interest in everything which af-
fects England. It is perhaps a pity
that their general ignorance is not a
little less appalling, but their very dis-
regard for accuracy lends a certain
"charm" to their conversation. A man
in a barber's shop pointed to a dilap-
dated map of the world which was
nailed to the wall, and, putting his fore-
finger upon Spain, he exclaimed: "If
war breaks out, Spain must retake
Gibraltar. Have no fear. The English
ships may come down to us because it
is all downhill, but after we have crip-
pled them they will not find it so easy
to get back to England, because it is all
uphill."

Deceptions of Wild Birds.
Falcons—hawks, the largest species—
can compress their features and look
very slim if they think it necessary to
do so. As to the owls, they can hump
up into any position they think most
suitable. It is useless to look for these
self preserving traits in any of the fam-
ily kept in zoological collections, for
the birds are so accustomed to see
large numbers of people passing and
repassing or standing in front of them,
that they treat the whole matter with
perfect indifference. They know that
at a certain time their food will be
brought to them and that they are oth-
erwise perfectly safe. Then the rap-
tores in a wild state have a bloom on
their plumage like the bloom on a
bunch of grapes, which is not often
seen when in captivity.

A Compromise.

In the nursery the letter of the law
occasionally leaves something to be de-
sired, according to the London Chron-
icle. A very little lady had been told
that it was rude to contradict. She
schooled herself not to contradict with
great conscientiousness, but one day a
half jesting accusation made against
her by some unsuspecting member of
the grownup part of the house nearly
made her fall from a state of grace.
Luckily her imagination supplied her
with a compromise. In a voice trem-
bling with tears and passion she gasp-
ed out, "I—I really think you are mis-
taken—you—you beast!"

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DAYTONA is situated upon the west bank of the Halifax River at its widest expanse and midway between its source at Burew Bay and its outlet at Mosquito Inlet. It is in latitude 29° seventy-four miles from St. Augustine and one mile from the Atlantic Ocean, and is acknowledged to be without a rival for beauty among the changes of the South. Its site is high, and it is known as high land, and that it was crowned by a forest of majestic trees, and among these trees is the town of today, with its beautiful cottages and well-graded streets and roads. The result is a beautiful town, the wide avenues that intersect the town are lovely, and the houses and cottages, many of them draped with graceful festoons of the gray Spanish moss, that overhang the street and walks, and among these are interspersed tall tropical palm-trees, glossy-leaved magnolias, fragrant lilies and coral-berried holly, and many other varieties, while in many places the wild grape, the trumpet vine and the angelica climb and cling among the branches forming shady bowers and adding grace and beauty.

The town lies parallel with the Halifax River, and extends for nearly two miles along the shore. This river is the delight of the angler and the yachtsman and forms one of the town's greatest attractions.

The main avenues that run parallel with or intersect the river are all 100 feet wide, except Beach street, which is about sixty-five feet, but has a half-mile of open, beautiful water abutting upon its eastern side, where the salt waves ebb and flow and along and across which comes the cooling, invigorating and health-giving breezes from off the wide Atlantic, which temper and render the Halifax climate one of the most perfect in the world. Daytona has many miles of well-graded, macadamized and shell roads and streets, rendering it the

Wheelman's Paradise
and added to these, but a mile away, are thirty miles of smooth, hard beach, that affords an unrivalled course for long distance cycling and driving or automobile racing. No town of equal size, North or South, numbers so many wheelmen, and cycling is a favorite pastime with the tourists summer and winter.

The Beautiful Cottages
that have been erected during the past years and are being built are rendering Daytona as famous for its fine homes as for its beautiful river, trees and avenues, and they are adding yearly to its attractions.

Not the least of these attractions to those seeking homes in the South, and ranking second only to healthfulness and perfection of climate, is the fact that its population is chiefly composed of cultivated and intelligent people, accustomed to the refinements of home and social life. Added to these features are good churches, good public and private schools, stores, hotels, laundry, meat markets, novelty works, an opera house, electric lights for street and house illumination, a good telephone system, ice factory, Lily Water Works, and hot and cold baths, etc., and everything else can be procured that is necessary to make life comfortable. An important feature in the healthfulness of this town is the

Water Supply
which is derived from numerous flowing wells, of which there are probably 300 in the corporate limits. This flow is secured by boring wells to the depth of from 50 to 120 feet, passing through several strata of rock, and this depth assures purity from all surface contamination. The water is slightly impregnated with magnesia and iron, and holds sulphur in the shape of gas, which soon passes away.

The Population of Daytona
proper is about 1,800. Added to this is a suburban population on main shore and peninsula of about 1,000 at Kingston, Blake, Old Seabreeze or Goodall, Seabreeze and Silver Beach,

which are properly a part of the town and population.

Daytona Beach
lies one mile east of the town. It is approached by three good bridges over the river and well-graded avenues, and is the principal summer resort south of St. Augustine. It has more tourists during the summer than all other places south of that city combined, and is also becoming a favorite winter resort. The beach is wide, firm and smooth, by many considered the finest in the world, and the surf bathing is safe and excellent summer and winter. People who have tried Northern and Western summer resorts declare that there are none so perfect in comfort as Daytona beach.

Automobile Race Meet.
The Florida East Coast Automobile Association conducts an annual race meet on the beach, which has now a universal reputation as the greatest automobile race course in the world. The Daytona-Ormond Beach is hard as macadam, and an ideal stretch of thirty or more miles without a break makes it the natural racing ground for America.

At low tide the beach is bare for 300 feet and neither carriage wheel, bicycle or pedestrian can make a hardly visible imprint on the smooth and well-packed sand. It is no uncommon sight to see sail-rigged bicycles speeding with the velocity of the wind before a stiff breeze along the smooth beach, thus affording the most exhilarating sport known to man. Besides these, miles of hard-shelled, palm-fringed boulevards bring the lovers of the wheel and vehicles into direct touch with the mainland over the broad bridges which span the splendid Halifax River.

The beach from the sandy bluffs to the lowest point at oblique, measures about 500 feet, and the average depth of the surf measures about two feet. A continuous gentle swell rolls in from the ocean from one to two feet in depth under normal conditions, making the beach an attractive and absolutely safe place for surf-bathing. Here the infant as well as the grey-haired veteran of many summers, can safely enjoy the luxury of a sea bath throughout the larger part of the year, while the strong and expert swimmer, can venture out further to test his strength and skill in battling with the inexhaustible powers of the mighty ocean.

The Peninsula
lying between river and ocean is one-half mile wide, and is being rapidly improved, and there are many fine cottages and several good hotels, an opera house, two ocean piers, beach pavilion and a large casino.

A Remarkable Feature
at Daytona has been the yearly improvement in the style and value of the buildings that are being erected for homes. Men of capital of the North and West have become awakened to its advantages for winter residences, and valuable lots are being purchased and costly houses, beautiful in design and finish, are being erected, and beautiful homes, the abodes of wealth and culture are multiplying. Seabreeze (City Beautiful) and Goodall are settlements on the Ocean side of the peninsula across the Halifax River from Daytona.

At the foot of Ocean Boulevard, Seabreeze, a pier reaches 600 feet across the beach into the swelling surf of the ocean. This pier is a favorite resort of those who delight in the sport of fishing. The surf here abounds in trout, pompano, yellowtail, cavalle, whiting, drum, sheephead and many other varieties of edible fish. During the fall season the famous sea bass affords royal sport, and it has been no uncommon occurrence to land a thousand pounds of this gamey fish in an afternoon, individuals of them ranging from fifteen to thirty-five pounds in weight. Not only does the ocean offer this splendid sport but the Halifax River, only half a mile back of the ocean, is equally famous for its fine fishing, and the varieties that abound in the ocean are present in the river.

Hunting and fishing good. Experienced guides and dogs may be had at reasonable prices.

A WOMAN'S UNMANLINESS

(Original.)

Titus and I were inseparable. Titus was my dog, a brown and white setter who cared for no one in the world but me. In the summer we would wander over the country together, in the autumn would hunt together.

One morning when I started out, expecting to find Titus at the front door waiting for me, as was his invariable custom, he was not there. Nor did he again appear. He had been stolen.

In town that winter I met Miss Jeannette Fearing. She chafed at being confined between brick walls, compelled to seek solace in an occasional ball or other similar entertainment, and pined for the summer home of her family, where she could ride on horseback, fish and hunt. This was mainly, and I admired mainly women. When with her, instead of being obliged to chat on the happenings in our social circle, I found her ready to discuss more important topics, and where she did not understand she was quite willing to listen.

After enjoying her society at intervals through half a winter I met her one afternoon and was surprised at receiving from her a very cold nod. My first impulse was to go to her and ask for an explanation. Had she been another woman I would have done so, for women are easily offended, and doubtless some trifling act of mine had been misunderstood. But Jeannette Fearing I had considered above such petty misunderstandings, and if she had a grievance against me she should state it openly in a frank, manly way.

I did not see Jeannette again that winter, nor indeed that summer. In the autumn I was invited to the country seat of a friend and had some excellent shooting, though I missed Titus and lost many a bird that I should have bagged with his assistance. When the party broke up I remained to get a day's shooting in a region some twenty miles distant where woodcock were said to abound. Starting early, I was driven to the ground, and with my gun entered the wood. I had had such bad luck with my host's dogs that I had brought none of them. I had bagged several birds when I heard not far away the report of a gun, and a few minutes later a dog broke through the underbrush and, seeing me, paused to examine me. In another moment he uttered a yelp of delight and came for me on the jump. I saw at a glance that he was my old friend Titus. While he was climbing over me, licking my face and hands, I caressed him, a woman wearing a short dress and high boots, carrying a gun, emerged from the brush and stood looking at me. What was my astonishment to recognize Jeannette Fearing. I raised my hat, and she returned my salute, but as coldly as when I had last met her in the city.

"This is a singular meeting," I said. "Do you live near by?" "Our country place is a mile away." "And I am visiting near by." "Caesar, come here," she called. Caesar, as she dubbed him, demurred, and when she ordered him more sharply skulked along slowly, occasionally turning to me.

"Tite!" With a bound he started in my direction and did not stop till he had his paws again on my shoulder. Jeannette looked puzzled.

"How did you come by this dog?" I asked.

"I bought him in the city last fall." "You are under the ban of the law, having in your possession stolen goods."

"I shall be happy to pay for him."

"I do not care to sell him, but you are quite welcome to him."

"I am not in the habit of accepting presents from men."

"We might leave it to the dog to choose his owner. Tite, go to your mistress."

I pointed to Jeannette and looked

sternly at the dog. He lay down on the ground, whined and thrashed the turf with his tail. But I did not cease my orders till he had gone to a point midway between us. "Now," I said, "we shall see whether he will follow you or me." I moved away. Jeannette, too, turned and walked on. The dog stood looking from one to the other. His distress was so great that we both stopped.

"For the dog's sake," I said, "I will ask an explanation of your changed treatment of me."

"Last winter I wrote you a note to your club containing a simple request. You did not consider it worth a reply."

"I'm," I said, pondering. "Another letter gone wrong?" Then to Jeannette: "There is a man in the club with the same initials as mine and a similar name. He sometimes gets my letters and usually turns them over to me, but last fall he went abroad. He probably read your letter in Europe."

She stood looking first at me, then at the dog, then on the ground.

"Don't you think," I asked, "that a more manly way?"

"I am not a man."

"I have often endowed you with certain manly traits. A man, not receiving a reply to a note from me, would have come to me at once for an explanation."

"A woman would seem to do such a thing."

"You have given me great pain."

"And you spoiled my winter."

There was a slight tremor in her voice. Having discovered something womanly I left off looking for manliness. I had gone up beside her and, taking her hand, said abruptly:

"Let us own the dog together."

Since the advent of a little stranger my wife has retrograded considerably. She has not now even the manliness I hunt with me. EDWIN CLARK.

Cause and Effect.
Where are the brides of yesterday? I cannot tell, but, maybe, The reason that they are not here Is that they're leading baby.

Deadly Insult.
"That man I was just talking to insulted me, and I shall never speak to him again."

"Did he ask you to go to work?"

Three Kinds of Men.

Here is a classification of men expounded by a spinster in an article, "The Truth About Men." "Men as a whole," she says, "may be roughly divided into three distinct species—the bold, the shy and the tough." The first class includes "those self-assured males" who fall in and out of love with every other woman they meet; the second class is made up of "the world's good fellows who have a great reverence for all women and silently adore one for life without telling her so," and the third species "is concerned only with getting on and making money, is absolutely indifferent to women and marries only as a matter of expediency. The first of these we unhesitatingly condemn and find irresistible; the second we admire profoundly, praise without stint and ignore utterly; the third we dislike, despise and—marry."

Thackeray's "Strike" For a "Raise."

I hereby give notice that I shall strike for wages the wrote to the proprietors of Fraser's Magazine. You pay more to others, I find, than to me, and so I intend to make some fresh conditions about Yellowplush. I shall write no more of that gentleman's remarks except at the rate of 12 guineas a sheet, and with a drawing for such number in which his story appears—the drawing 2 guineas. Pray do not be angry at this decision on my part. It is simply a bargain which it is my duty to make. Bad as he is, Mr. Yellowplush is the most popular contributor to your magazine and ought to be paid accordingly. If he does not deserve more than the monthly nurse or the Blue Friars I am a Dutchman.—James Grant Wilson's "Thackeray."

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